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SENATE

BILLS / RESOLUTIONS

SJR 0751 by *Norris

Budget Procedures - Authorizes transmittal and filing of legislation that makes the budget by 4:00 p.m. on Monday, February 8, 2010. -

*SB 3704 by *Beavers

DUI/DWI Offenses - As introduced, requires that in lieu of or in addition to participation in DUI school or an alcohol assessment, the court must order, as a condition of a DUI offender's probation, that the offender attend a victims impact panel if the program is offered in the victim's county. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10.

SB 3705 by *Haynes (*HB 3524 by *Bone)

Fairs - As introduced, Revises definition of "district fair" to mean a fair serving at least six, instead of five, counties. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 12; Title 43 and Title 67.

*SB 3706 by *Haynes

Massage - As introduced, allows for revocation, suspension or denial of license if person is mentally incompetent, guilty of unethical or unprofessional conduct, or convicted of a misdemeanor. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 18.

SB 3707 by *Haynes (*HB 3363 by *Gilmore)

Pharmacy, Pharmacists - As introduced, establishes a new pilot project on the donation and redispensing of prescription drugs. - Amends TCA Title 53, Chapter 10 and Title 63.

SB 3708 by *Haynes (*HB 3508 by *Fitzhugh)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, specifies that a tax lien or tax sale does not impair the validity of a leasehold or permanent easement where tax on such interest has been paid. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5.

*SB 3709 by *Haynes

Courts - As introduced, specifies that it is the court's discretion whether to approve a transfer of structured settlement payment rights. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18, Part 26.

SB 3710 by *Haynes (*HB 3390 by *Moore)

County Government - As introduced, defines public depository to include any state or federally chartered financial institution that has its main office located in this state, for purposes of the management of county government funds. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 8, Part 2; Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 1 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 5.

SB 3711 by *Haynes (*HB 3119 by *Gilmore)

Highway Signs - As introduced, provides for modification of language on existing welcome signs for Metropolitan Nashville-Davidson County to read "Music City USA" in addition to "Home of the Grand Ole Opry." -

SB 3712 by *Haynes (*HB 2925 by *Moore)

Beer - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Responsible Server Act of 2010." - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 15 and Title 57.

*SB 3713 by *Haynes

Education - As introduced, extends pilot program for class size limits in career and technical education course in Davidson County for one year, through July 1, 2010; extends committee to study pilot program to January 1, 2011. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 1.

SB 3714 by *Haynes (*HB 3712 by *Odom)

Handgun Permits - As introduced, allows restaurants to post signs at public entrances permitting people with handgun carry permits to carry in restaurant as long as they are not consuming; provides restaurant owner incurs no civil liability for gun-related injury caused by permit holder. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1305.

SB 3715 by *Haynes (*HB 3383 by *Sontany)

Animal Control - As introduced, allows Davidson County as well as Shelby County and municipalities within to enact ordinance allowing for district attorney to petition general sessions court for destruction of dangerous dogs. - Amends TCA Title 44, Chapter 17, Part 1.

SB 3716 by *Haynes (*HB 3381 by *Sontany)

Zoning - As introduced, authorizes municipalities with zoning regulations to adopt ordinance to terminate nonconforming establishments or uses following a period of amortization from five to 20 years. - Amends TCA Title 13. Chapter 7. Part 2.

SB 3717 by *Haynes (*HB 3382 by *Sontany)

Nuisances - As introduced, adds zoning violations and violations of building codes to definition of types of nuisances that can be abated by the courts. - Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 3.

*SB 3718 by *Haynes

General Assembly - As introduced, creates special joint legislative study committee to study need for local dedicated funding for public transportation in Middle Tennessee; comprised of eight legislative members and three non-voting ad hoc members. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 13; Title 54; Title 55; Title 64 and Title 67.

*SB 3719 by *Haynes

Tobacco, Tobacco Products - As introduced, prohibits smoking within 50 feet of any entrance to any building that provides library services to children. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17.

SB 3720 by *Haynes (*HB 3150 by *Harwell)

Billboards - As introduced, eliminates the 18-month period of time in which certain permits may be issued for outdoor advertising in particular locations. - Amends TCA Section 54-21-116.

SB 3721 by *Haynes (*HB 3187 by *Turner M)

Mass Transit - As introduced, requires any local government undertaking a mass transportation project to notify TDOT's division of multimodal resources. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3; Title 4, Chapter 31, Part 12; Title 13, Chapter 10; Title 54, Chapter 4; Title 64, Chapter 8 and Title 67, Chapter 3.

SB 3722 by *Haynes (*HB 2893 by *Turner M)

Planning, Public - As introduced, adds to the purposes of zoning regulations a requirement to insure that a planned community does not violate any of the covenants as presented and approved by a planning commission. - Amends TCA Title 13.

SB 3723 by *Haynes (*HB 2888 by *Turner M)

Landlord and Tenant - As introduced, requires landlords in Davidson County to secure water service fee security deposits from tenants. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 66, Chapter 28 and Title 68, Chapter 221.

SB 3724 by *Haynes (*HB 2892 by *Turner M)

Historical Sites and Preservation - As introduced, authorizes and encourages counties and municipalities to formulate programs to provide grants to owner/occupants to rehabilitate residential homes located in historic areas, districts, and zones from funds available to the county or municipality. - Amends TCA Title 13.

*SB 3725 by *Haynes

Civil Procedure - As introduced, revises method of serving summons for forcible entry and detainer warrants; allows sheriff to post copy of warrant on premises after three failed attempts of personal service of process within six days instead of 10 days from required date of appearance. - Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 18.

*SB 3726 by *Haynes

Remedies and Special Proceedings - As introduced, allows general sessions judge to postpone trial for forcible detainer cases longer than 15 days upon agreement of the parties. - Amends TCA Section 29-18-118

*SB 3727 by *Haynes

Historical Sites and Preservation - As introduced, authorizes Tennessee state museum to contract for the repair, renovation, and maintenance of the McCampbell House in Donelson. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 13.

*SB 3728 by *Haynes

Parks, Natural Areas Preservation - As introduced, requires the department of environment and conservation to maintain a seasonal interpretive ranger at Long Hunter state park. - Amends TCA Title 11, Chapter 3.

*SB 3729 by *Haynes

Mental Retardation - As introduced, requires notice be given of closure of state-owned residential facilities for persons with mental retardation or other developmental disabilities. - Amends TCA Title 33, Chapter 1, Part 3.

SB 3730 by *Haynes (*HB 3358 by *Fincher)

Workers Compensation - As introduced, revises procedures governing approval of settlements of workers compensation cases by courts. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 6.

SB 3731 by *Haynes (*HB 3582 by *Coleman)

Workers Compensation - As introduced, establishes a procedure for handling disputes involving future medicals in a workers compensation case after judgment or settlement. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 6

SB 3732 by *Haynes (*HB 3143 by *Stewart)

Workers Compensation - As introduced, revises treatment of common carrier by motor vehicle from certain employments excluded from the Worker's Compensation Law. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 6.

SB 3733 by *Kyle (*HB 2418 by *Turner M)

Housing - As introduced, authorizes mayor to appoint executive director for metropolitan development and housing agency beginning on September 1, 2010. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 20.

SB 3734 bv *Havnes (*HB 3457 bv *Odom)

Economic and Community Development - As introduced, requires the commissioner to file an annual report detailing with specificity the status of each economic and community development grant that has been authorized by the general assembly together with his recommendations on whether each grant should be continued, increased, or no longer funded and whether new grants should be developed. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 6; Title 7; Title 9; Title 10; Title 12; Title 13; Title 49; Title 50; Title 54; Title 64; Title 66; Title 67 and Title 68.

SB 3735 by *Bunch (*HB 2694 by *Dennis, Rich)

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, repeals statutory prohibition relative to possession of a firearm where alcoholic beverages are served. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1305.

SB 3736 by *Bunch (*HB 2835 by *Dennis)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, includes appointing someone as a member or chairman of, or a leadership position on, a committee, board or other governmental body within the definition of "pecuniary interest" for purposes of the bribery statutes. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 16, Part 1.

*SB 3737 by *Bunch

Education, Higher - As introduced, authorizes extending in-state tuition to wrestlers from Alabama, Georgia, Kentucky, and Florida to attend the Tennessee higher education institutions with Division 1 wrestling programs. - Amends TCA Title 49.

SB 3738 by *Bunch (*HB 3261 by *Campfield)

Vital Records - As introduced, requires state registrar of vital records to promulgate rules to include as part of the certificate of birth process a system that would identify whether or not the parents choose to establish paternity through genetic or DNA testing. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 3.

SB 3739 by *Bunch (*HB 3063 by *Campfield)

Sexual Offenders - As introduced, prohibits physicians on sexual offender registry from treating children under 18 years. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 39, Part 2 and Title 63, Chapter 6, Part 2.

*SB 3740 by *Bunch

Civil Procedure - As introduced, establishes that contracts based on the law of any foreign state or country that incorporates substantive or procedural law that would violate rights and privileges granted under the U.S. or Tennessee constitution are against the public policy of this state and are void and unenforceable in this state. -

SB 3741 by *Bunch (*HB 3285 by *Campfield)

Public Buildings - As introduced, prohibits the use of public funds for bottled water for employees and visitors to public buildings unless potable water is not available. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 4, Part 1.

SB 3742 by *Bunch (*HB 3306 by *Sargent)

Checks, Deferred Presentments - As introduced, modifies certain provisions relating to the regulation of deferred presentment services businesses. - Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 17.

SB 3743 by *Bunch (*HB 3305 by *Sargent)

Short Term Loans and Lenders - As introduced, requires the commissioner of financial institutions to submit certain reports concerning title pledge lending on an annual basis. - Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 15.

*SB 3744 by *Bunch

Insurance, Liability - As introduced, requires the commissioner of commerce and insurance to suspend or revoke eligibility of a surplus insurer if the commissioner finds that a surplus insurer is incompetent or not trustworthy. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 14, Part 1.

SB 3745 by *Bunch (*HB 3064 by *Campfield)

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, limits reproduction of handgun carry permit records. - Amends TCA Section 10-7-504.

SB 3746 by *Bunch (*HB 2723 by *Campfield)

Education - As introduced, authorizes scholarships to students who graduate early; funds shall be derived from funds for such student that would otherwise go to public secondary school. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4.

SB 3747 by *Bunch (*HB 2724 by *Campfield)

Public Buildings - As introduced, prohibits the purchase of bottled water for state employees and visitors from state revenues. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 4, Part 1.

SB 3748 by *Bunch (*HB 2725 by *Campfield)

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, authorizes individuals and small businesses to form and to join heath insurance entities. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 26.

SB 3749 by *Bunch (*HB 3038 by *Dennis)

Liability, Tort - As introduced, clarifies that an owner, lessee, or occupant of land does not owe a duty of care to a trespasser on such land and is not liable for any injury to a trespasser on such land. - Amends TCA Title 29.

SB 3750 by *Bunch (*HB 3557 by *Rowland)

Workers Compensation - As introduced, establishes certain presumptions and conclusive determinations regarding the determination of whether a person is an "employee" or an "independent contractor" for purposes of the workers compensation law. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 6.

SB 3751 by *Bunch (*HB 2717 by *Campfield)

Damages - As introduced, limits the punitive damages awards in all civil actions brought in the state to \$300,000, except for those actions expressly excluded. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 21, Part 3; Title 9, Chapter 8, Part 3; Title 20, Chapter 10, Part 1; Title 29, Chapter 26, Part 2; Title 29, Chapter 34; Title 45, Chapter 20, Part 1; Title 47, Chapter 18, Part 21; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 40; Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 20; Title 65, Chapter 35, Part 1; Title 68, Chapter 212, Part 2 and Title 71, Chapter 6, Part 1.

SB 3752 by *Bunch (*HB 2718 by *Campfield)

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, provides that a certified copy of a birth certificate is not required for the issuance or renewal of a handgun carry permit. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 13.

SB 3753 by *Bunch (*HB 2719 by *Campfield)

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, authorizes a person with a handgun carry permit to carry a handgun on a greenway that runs through a park, even if a municipality has voted to prohibit firearms in such park. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1311.

*SB 3754 by *Bunch

Liability, Tort - As introduced, clarifies that an owner, lessee, or occupant of land does not owe a duty of care to a trespasser on such land and is not liable for any injury to a trespasser on such land. - Amends TCA Title 29.

SB 3755 by *Bunch (*HB 3275 by *Watson)

Purchasing - As introduced, authorizes county governments to adopt local preference purchasing policies. - Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 3.

SB 3756 by *Bunch (*HB 2726 by *Campfield)

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, authorizes persons with handgun carry permits to have a handgun in their motor vehicle on a public college campus as long as such handgun is stored out of sight and the motor vehicle is locked. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1309.

SB 3757 by *Bunch (*HB 2727 by *Campfield)

Telecommunications - As introduced, requires telephone companies under jurisdiction of TRA to provide call blocking services for telephones, including cellular phones; encourages cooperatives and foreign corporations furnishing telephone service in this state to offer services for persons to block unwanted calls. - Amends TCA Title 65.

SB 3758 by *Bunch (*HB 2786 by *Hill)

Employees, Employers - As introduced, requires employers to give certain employees written or electronic statements regarding their compensation for employment and any deductions taken from such compensation. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 2, Part 1.

SB 3759 by *Bunch (*HB 2787 by *Hill)

Employees, Employers - As introduced, deletes requirement employers pay by check presentable at some bank or other established place of business. - Amends TCA Section 50-2-103.

SB 3760 by *Bunch (*HB 2716 by *Campfield)

Firearms and Ammunition - As introduced, authorizes canceled checks to serve as evidence of valid renewal of handgun carry permits when such permits have expired. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-1351.

SB 3761 bv *Bunch (*HB 2722 bv *Campfield)

Education - As introduced, authorizes LEAs to accept refurbished computer equipment for distribution to low income students. - Amends TCA Title 41, Chapter 22, Part 1 and Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 20.

SB 3762 by *Bunch (*HB 3065 by *Campfield)

Election Laws - As introduced, prohibits the spending of public funds on the support or opposition of any referendum. - Amends TCA Title 2.

SB 3763 by *Bunch (*HB 3066 by *Campfield)

General Assembly - As introduced, prohibits members from voting on measures that financially directly benefit them or members of their immediate families; excludes voting on the general appropriations act. - Amends TCA Title 3.

SB 3764 by *Bunch (*HB 3067 by *Campfield)

Lottery, Corporation - As introduced, requires public assistance benefits be reimbursed from lottery winnings over \$600. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 51, Part 1.

SB 3765 by *Bunch (*HB 3068 by *Campfield)

Education, Higher - As introduced, authorizes postsecondary educational institutions to not use the term "technical" in their name or designation. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 20.

SB 3766 by *Bunch (*HB 3062 by *Campfield)

Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, authorizes fundraising for office of governor by members of the general assembly and the governor during legislative sessions; requires funds not expended to be returned to donors or to charitable organizations. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10 and Title 2, Chapter 5.

SB 3767 by *Bunch (*HB 2988 by *Dunn)

Traffic Safety - As introduced, imposes requirement that red-light cameras must be marked by appropriate signage warning drivers of surveillance cameras' presence on all surveillance cameras used to enforce or monitor traffic violations. - Amends TCA Title 55.

SB 3768 by *Bunch (*HB 3051 by *Watson)

Garnishments and Executions - As introduced, allows a party to modify a garnishment judgment up to 90 days prior to the judgment being satisfied. - Amends TCA Title 26.

*SB 3769 by *Bunch

Traffic Safety - As introduced, requires traffic citations be reviewed and signed at the time of issuance by the law enforcement officer issuing such citation; citation must have officer's printed name below signature; citation with electronic or facsimile signature is invalid. - Amends TCA Title 55.

*SB 3770 by *Bunch

Traffic Safety - As introduced, prohibits the assessment of costs for written traffic citations that are paid prior to the court date; requires the duration of the yellow light be noted on all traffic light violation citations. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 2.

SB 3771 by *Bunch (*HB 3035 by *Dennis)

Personal Property - As introduced, increases amount debtor may claim as exempt personal property from \$4,000 to \$10,000. - Amends TCA Title 26.

SB 3772 by *Bunch (*HB 2720 by *Campfield)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, removes requirement signs be posted at establishments serving alcoholic beverages informing patrons that firearms are prohibited in such establishments. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-203.

SB 3773 by *Bunch (*HB 2721 by *Campfield)

Lottery, Scholarships and Programs - As introduced, permits students majoring in math, nursing, or engineering or enrolled in a teacher education program seeking licensure to teach math or science to retain the Tennessee HOPE scholarship by making a cumulative collegiate grade point average of 2.75 whenever academic eligibility is checked. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 4, Part 9.

SB 3774 by *Bunch (*HB 3056 by *Dunn)

Election Laws - As introduced, clarifies and adds to the duties of county administrators of elections. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 12.

SB 3775 by *Bunch (*HB 3054 by *Watson)

Courts - As introduced, requires courtroom security committee of each county to establish guidelines by October 1, 2010, for allowing guide dogs and other service dogs into courtrooms in that county. - Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 2, Part 5.

SB 3776 bv *Bunch (*HB 3321 bv *Dunn)

Capitol - As introduced, clarifies that the duties of the Capitol Commission include establishing a policy relative to historical commemorative statues and monuments on the capitol grounds as well as on the Bicentennial Mall. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 8.

SB 3777 **by** *Bunch (*HB 3556 by *Bell)

Juveniles - As introduced, allows a juvenile court to instruct court-appointed special advocates to attend meetings on the child's behalf when the guardian ad litem is unable to attend. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 1.

*SB 3778 by *Bunch

Taxes - As introduced, requires commissioner of revenue to comply with tax amnesty agreements made before July 1, 2009, between a taxpayer and a county or incorporated municipality. - Amends TCA Title 67

SB 3779 by *Bunch (*HB 3360 by *Campfield)

Budget Procedures - As introduced, prohibits appropriations to certain program in fiscal year 2010-2011 and allocates savings to certain programs. - Amends amend TCA.

SB 3780 by *Bunch (*HB 3361 by *Campfield)

Special License Plates - As introduced, authorizes issuance of Catholic Charities new specialty earmarked license plates; allocates 50 percent of funds produced from sale thereof to Catholic Charities of East Tennessee. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.

SB 3781 by *Bunch (*HB 3050 by *Watson)

Public Records - As introduced, requires a party, or the party's attorney or agent, to pending civil litigation against a local governmental entity to make requests for records from the local governmental entity in compliance with the Tennessee Rules of Civil Procedure governing discovery. - Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 7.

*SB 3782 by *Bunch

Property - As introduced, revises time within which a taxpayer may redeem property to conform with revisions made by chapters 156 and 530 of the 2009 Public Acts. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 27

SB 3783 bv *Bunch (*HB 3052 bv *Watson)

Criminal Offenses - As introduced, increases the fine for assaulting a sports official of a school-sponsored activity to \$5,000. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 1.

*SB 3784 by *Bunch

Bankruptcy - As introduced, increases amount debtor may claim as exempt personal property from \$4,000 to \$10,000; provides, that one motor vehicle shall be exempt personal property not to exceed \$3,500. - Amends TCA Title 26, Chapter 2.

SB 3785 by *Bunch (*HB 3053 by *Watson)

Criminal Procedure - As introduced, provides that no arrest warrant or criminal summons shall issue without the written approval of the applicable district attorney if the affiant knows the person to be arrested or summoned is a law enforcement officer. - Amends TCA Title 40.

*SB 3786 by *Bunch

Courts, General Sessions - As introduced, exempts cases before a general sessions court from those cases in which a clerk shall charge a fee of \$5.00 for each requested continuance. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 21. Part 4.

SB 3787 by *Bunch (*HB 3289 by *Lynn)

Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, requires approval of the general assembly before a permanent rule becomes effective. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 5.

SB 3788 by *Bunch (*HB 3037 by *Dennis)

Real Property - As introduced, clarifies that person may redeem property by paying money to the clerk within one year of date of order of confirmation of sale, evidenced by county register of deeds records. - Amends TCA Section 67-5-2702.

SB 3789 by *Bunch (*HB 3055 by *Watson)

Parks, Natural Areas Preservation - As introduced, expands the daily commercial carrying capacity for whitewater rafting in the lower Ocoee River Recreational Area. - Amends TCA Title 11, Chapter 13 and Title 11, Chapter 3.

SB 3790 by *Bunch (*HB 2785 by *Hill)

Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, makes it a Class E felony, punishable by fine only of \$10,000, for the department of transportation to enter into a contract for the design, construction, survey, or maintenance of any portion of I-69 or any other interstate or highway project that is designed to link Canada, U.S., and Mexico. - Amends TCA Title 54, Chapter 1, Part 2.

SB 3791 by *Bunch (*HB 2784 by *Hill)

Highways, Roads and Bridges - As introduced, prohibits state highway funds from being allotted to design or build I-69. - Amends TCA Title 54, Chapter 2.

SB 3792 by *Bunch (*HB 3208 by *Casada)

Public Contracts - As introduced, increases time for written notice of completion of public work from within 90 days to within 180 days. - Amends TCA Section 12-4-205.

*SB 3793 by *Bunch

Bankruptcy - As introduced, increases amount debtor may claim as exempt personal property from \$4,000 to \$8,000; provides, that each debtor spouse is entitled to claim an exemption of \$20,000, regardless of whether the exempt property is titled in one or both spouses' names. - Amends TCA Title 26, Chapter 2.

*SB 3794 by *Bunch

Bankruptcy - As introduced, increases amount debtor may claim as exempt tools of trade from \$1,900 to \$4,000. - Amends TCA Title 26, Chapter 2.

*SB 3795 bv *Bunch

Bankruptcy - As introduced, increases amount debtor may claim as exempt personal property from \$4,000 to \$8,000 and amount debtor may claim as exempt value in implements, professional books, or tools of the trade from \$1,900 to 2,000. - Amends TCA Title 26, Chapter 2.

SB 3796 by *Bunch (*HB 3011 by *Harwell)

Education - As introduced, requires that TCAP tests be given no earlier than May 1. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 60.

*SB 3797 by *Marrero B

Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, prohibits corporations domiciled outside the state or not doing business in the state from using funds to aid either in the election or defeat of any candidate for office. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10 and Title 2, Chapter 19.

*SB 3798 by *Marrero B

Campaigns and Campaign Finance - As introduced, creates Class B misdemeanor for corporations using funds to aid in the election or defeat of any judicial candidate. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10 and Title 2, Chapter 19.

*SB 3799 by *Marrero B

Administrative Procedure (UAPA) - As introduced, requires a rule-making hearing be conducted for all permanent rules that were previously filed as emergency rules. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 5, Part 2.

SB 3800 by *Marrero B (*HB 3511 by *Richardson)

Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, gives preference to those banks or other financial institutions that agree to provide low dollar loans to Tennessee citizens in making a decision on which banks or other financial institutions shall be the depository of state or local funds. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7 and Title 9.

SB 3801 by *Marrero B (*HB 3512 by *Richardson)

Credit Unions - As introduced, requires state credit unions in which a majority of its members are state employees to make low dollar loans to its state employee members. - Amends TCA Title 45, Chapter 4.

*SB 3802 by *Marrero B

Day Care - As introduced, revises and deletes certain provisions regarding age groups and ratios in child care agencies. - Amends TCA Section 71-3-502.

*SB 3803 by *Marrero B

Welfare - As introduced, requires the department of human services to expend at least 2 percent of the Child Care and Development Funds block grant on activities to improve the quality of child care. - Amends TCA Section 71-3-502.

*SB 3804 by *Marrero B

Day Care - As introduced, prohibits the department of human services from requiring child care providers to disclose unnecessary personal information. - Amends TCA Section 71-3-502.

*SB 3805 by *Marrero B

State Government - As introduced, prohibits requiring vendors with the state of Tennessee to waive any legal remedies against the state. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 12.

*SB 3806 by *Johnson, Ketron, Tate

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Health Carrier Grievance and External Review Procedure Act." - Amends TCA Title 56.

SB 3807 by *Johnson (*HB 3327 by *Harwell)

Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, requires each local government participating in the local government investment pool to transfer electronically to the pool any funds the local government desires to be invested in the pool. - Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 7.

SB 3808 by *Johnson (*HB 3326 by *Harwell)

Unclaimed Property - As introduced, authorizes the treasurer to set a minimum dollar value for unclaimed property paid or delivered to the treasurer that requires the mailing of a notice instead of requiring that the minimum value be \$50.00; and authorizes the treasurer to claim unclaimed property from any other state on behalf of any Tennessee state department, agency, board, commission, or institution, including a public institution of higher education. - Amends TCA Title 66, Chapter 29, Part 1.

SB 3809 by *Johnson (*HB 3328 by *Harwell)

Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, removes the definition of "task force," which was previously repealed in 2001, from present law regarding collateral pools for public deposits. - Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 4.

SB 3810 by *Johnson (*HB 3329 by *Harwell)

Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, removes the definition of "task force," which was previously repealed in 2001, from present law regarding collateral pools for public deposits. - Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 4.

SB 3811 by *Johnson (*HB 3325 by *Harwell)

Workers Compensation - As introduced, clarifies that the employee representative on the advisory council on workers compensation from organized labor must be selected from a list of three "nominees," instead of "names," provided by the state labor council of the AFL-CIO. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 50 and Title 56.

SB 3812 by *Johnson (*HB 3301 by *Lynn, Evans)

Abortion - As introduced, enacts the "Freedom from Coercion Act." - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 10, Part 3; Title 39, Chapter 15, Part 2; Title 63 and Title 68.

SB 3813 by *Johnson (*HB 3642 by *Sargent)

Business Organizations - As introduced, changes the date a corporation or LLC must submit its annual report to the secretary of state; and revises present law regarding LLCs and LLPs pertaining to the number of members of such an LLC or LLP. - Amends TCA Title 48 and Title 61.

SB 3814 by *Johnson (*HB 3644 by *Sargent)

Business Organizations - As introduced, authorizes anyone to apply to the secretary of state to furnish a certificate of existence for a domestic LLC, LLP, or LP or a certificate of authorization for a foreign LLC, LLP, or LP. - Amends TCA Title 48 and Title 61.

SB 3815 by *Johnson (*HB 3645 by *Sargent)

Business Organizations - As introduced, creates an additional exception to the general rule that the name of a corporation or limited partnership (LP) must be distinguishable upon the records of the secretary of state from the name of another business organization authorized to do business in this state. - Amends TCA Title 48 and Title 61.

*SB 3816 by *Johnson

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, requires the commissioner of commerce and insurance to convene a working group of representatives from the insurance industry and the medical professions to study recent trends concerning various issues affecting the health insurance industry and the medical professions. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 57; Title 56 and Title 68.

SB 3817 by *Johnson (*HB 3643 by *Sargent)

Business Organizations - As introduced, specifies when the secretary of state must file articles of dissolution or revocation of dissolution of a corporation, articles of termination or articles of termination of existence of an LLC, certificate of cancellation of an LP, certificate of cancellation of a foreign LP, or certificate of authority of a foreign corporation or LLC; and revises the way a foreign corporation or LLC may reinstate a certificate of authority that has been administratively revoked. - Amends TCA Title 48 and Title 61.

SB 3818 by *Johnson (*HB 3614 by *Casada)

Trusts - As introduced, revises certain conflict of interest provisions in the Tennessee Uniform Trust Code. - Amends TCA Title 35; Title 45 and Title 66.

SB 3819 by *Johnson (*HB 3465 by *McCord)

Boards and Commissions - As introduced, encourages professional boards created pursuant to titles 62 or 63 to adopt a timely notification of licensees of such board, if it has not already done so, that a complaint has been filed against the person and to establish a reasonable statute of limitations for investigatory purposes. - Amends TCA Title 62 and Title 63.

SB 3820 by *Johnson (*HB 3464 by *McCord)

Damages - As introduced, requires a claimant submitting evidence of actual damages in a personal injury action to submit into evidence the amount charged by providers for any services received as a result of the injury and the actual amount paid by the claimant for such services if the amounts differ. - Amends TCA Title 24; Title 25 and Title 29.

SB 3821 by *Johnson (*HB 2818 by *Hardaway)

Commerce and Insurance, Dept. of - As introduced, authorizes commissioner to issue a cease and desist order prohibiting out-of-state residents who practice locksmithing in this state without a license from engaging in such practice. - Amends TCA Title 62, Chapter 11, Part 1.

SB 3822 by *Johnson (*HB 3613 by *Casada)

Health Care - As introduced, abolishes the oversight committee on long-term care. - Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 5.

*SB 3823 by *Kyle

Mental Illness - As introduced, decreases the time within which a physician must examine a person who is detained in certain mental health treatment resources from "within six hours of arrival" to "within four hours of arrival." - Amends TCA Title 33.

*SB 3824 by *Kyle

State Government - As introduced, authorizes the board of claims to establish incentive programs for state departments, agencies, and institutions to reduce liabilities to the risk management fund. - Amends TCA Section 9-8-108.

*SB 3825 by *Kyle

Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, assigns the state employee staff responsible for the administration of group insurance for state officials and employees and activities regarding the state insurance committee, to the department of finance and administration; and adds the deputy commissioner of intellectual disabilities services as a member of the board of directors of Access Tennessee. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 27 and Title 56.

*SB 3826 by *Kyle

Sentencing - As introduced, increases the time a civil judgment for restitution ordered as a condition of probation that remains unpaid would remain in effect from "10 years" to "20 years"; increases the maximum percentage of moneys an inmate receives from producing arts and crafts that must be paid as restitution or to the state fund to compensate victims of crime from "15 percent" to "50 percent"; and makes other revisions. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 9; Title 29; Title 40 and Title 41.

*SB 3827 by *Kyle

TennCare - As introduced, reduces the time within which an enrollee or applicant for TennCare uninsured or uninsurable coverage must mail documentation of any change of information given to the bureau of TennCare from "30 days" to "10 days" after such change; and reduces the time a petition for appeal from an initial order of a state agency must be filed with the agency from "within 15 days" to "within 10 days" of entry of the initial order. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 56; Title 68 and Title 71.

*SB 3828 bv *Kyle

TennCare - As introduced, reduces the time within which an enrollee or applicant for TennCare uninsured or uninsurable coverage must mail documentation of any change of information given to the bureau of TennCare from "30 days" to "10 days" after such change; and requires the commissioner of health to consult the bureau of TennCare, in addition to the Tennessee Hospital Association, before requesting early completion of the report of hospital statistics. - Amends TCA Title 68 and Title 71.

*SB 3829 by *Kyle

Health Care - As introduced, revises various provisions relating to health care including provisions governing tobacco surcharges in state employee and retiree group insurance plans. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 8; Title 56 and Title 71.

*SB 3830 bv *Kvle

Education - As introduced, clarifies that copy of student's report card must be provided by LEA to student's parent or guardian. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6.

*SB 3831 by *Kyle

Banks and Financial Institutions - As introduced, requires Tennessee state-chartered banks to obtain an annual external audit and provide a copy to the commissioner of financial institutions. - Amends TCA Title 45.

*SB 3832 by *Kyle

Water - As introduced, authorizes commissioner of the department of environment and conservation to study alternatives for and develop regional water supply plans that consider cost and conservation of water resources. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 221 and Title 69, Chapter 7.

*SB 3833 bv *Kyle

Solid Waste Disposal - As introduced, changes duration of certain notice periods under the Tennessee Solid Waste Disposal Act. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 211.

*SB 3834 by *Kyle

Health Care - As introduced, removes the present law provisions that would repeal the Access Tennessee Act, the Cover Tennessee Act, and the Cover Kids Act on June 30, 2010. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7, and Title 71, Chapter 3 and 5.

*SB 3835 by *Kyle

Privacy, Confidentiality - As introduced, clarifies that the present law provisions regarding confidential records that apply to the Tennessee venture capital network at Middle Tennessee State University also apply at the University of Tennessee. - Amends TCA Section 10-7-504.

*SB 3836 by *Kyle

Education - As introduced, authorizes LEAs to develop diagnostic assessments and screening procedures for students in early childhood programs as well as students in grades K-2. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6.

*SB 3837 by *Kyle

Health Care - As introduced, changes time in which enrollee or applicant information must be sent to TennCare bureau; revises provisions governing hospital statistical reports; requires notice to appropriate state facility prior to certain commitments. - Amends TCA Title 33; Title 56; Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71.

*SB 3838 by *Kyle

Education - As introduced, substitutes the department of education for the state board of education as the entity with authorization to modify the budget for the state's special schools. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 50.

*SB 3839 by *Kyle

State Government - As introduced, redefines "qualified distribution" for purposes of the Tennessee Small Business Investment Company Credit Act. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 56.

*SB 3840 by *Kyle

Securities - As introduced, makes various technical changes to the Tennessee Securities Act of 1980 concerning disciplinary hearings, securities registration depository systems, the IDEA system, and certain other subjects. - Amends TCA Title 48, Chapter 2.

*SB 3841 by *Kyle

Securities - As introduced, defines "investment-related" under the Tennessee Securities Act; authorizes a civil penalty for violations of Act; revises other various provisions of Act. - Amends TCA Title 48, Chapter 2, Part 1.

*SB 3842 by *Kyle

Juveniles - As introduced, lowers from 200 percent to 150 percent of the state average commitment rate the threshold for triggering the collaborative planning process. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 2, Part 2.

*SB 3843 by *Kyle

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, specifies that an insurer whose license is revoked or suspended for certain violations will not be considered an unauthorized insurer for policies written while the company was operating with a certificate of authority that was neither revoked nor suspended; increases from \$1,000 to \$10,000 the maximum authorized penalty imposed against persons regulated by the division of regulatory boards for certain violations. - Amends TCA Title 56.

*SB 3844 by *Kyle

Firefighters - As introduced, removes the commission on firefighting personnel standards and education from the jurisdiction of the division of regulatory boards; removes the provisions whereby the commission may operate only on funds appropriated by the general assembly. - Amends TCA Section 4-3-1304, and Title 4, Chapter 24.

*SB 3845 by *Kyle

Education, Curriculum - As introduced, requires that subject matter test reflect "the complete range of content covered within the state approved curriculum standards for that subject" instead of "the complete range of topics covered within the list of state approved textbooks for that subject." - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1.

*SB 3846 by *Kyle

Medical Occupations - As introduced, removes present law regarding screening panels; revises the duties of the director of the division of health related boards; and revises present law regarding the division, licensure to practice medicine, and veterinarians. - Amends TCA Title 63.

*SB 3847 by *Kyle

State Government - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Residence Commission Act of 2010." - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 23.

*SB 3848 by *Kyle

Civil Service - As introduced, removes the June 30, 2010, termination date for reduction in workforce provisions that were enacted in 2009. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 30, Part 4.

*SB 3849 by *Kyle

Nurses, Nursing - As introduced, revises advance practice nurse license renewal provisions; revises various provisions regarding the board of nursing. - Amends TCA Title 63.

*SB 3850 by *Kyle

Public Health - As introduced, increases from three days to five days, the amount of time an owner has to legally claim a dog or cat that is not wearing a vaccination tag or other identification, before the dog or cat may be adopted or destroyed. - Amends TCA Title 68.

*SB 3851 by *Kyle

Professions and Occupations - As introduced, prohibits any partnership, association, company, or corporation from engaging in the business of locksmithing in this state without first registering as a locksmith business; and revises various provisions regarding licensure for locksmiths and locksmith apprentices. - Amends TCA Section 62-11-104; Section 62-11-106; Section 62-11-111 and Section 62-11-112.

*SB 3852 by *Kyle

Interstate Compacts - As introduced, clarifies that the governor may enter into civil defense and disaster compacts with the "states" instead of the "contiguous states"; and renames the emergency management assistance compact that the governor may enter into under present law from the "southern regional emergency management assistance compact" to the "emergency management assistance compact." - Amends TCA Section 58-2-401 and Section 58-2-403.

*SB 3853 by *Kyle

Health Care - As introduced, revises the list of licenses a Level 2 adult care home provider serving residents with traumatic brain injury or a resident manager employed by the provider must hold to include a "licensed rehabilitation professional or licensed mental health professional" instead of a "respiratory therapist." - Amends TCA Section 68-11-209.

*SB 3854 by *Kyle

Gas, Petroleum Products, Volatile Oils - As introduced, revises various present law provisions regarding petroleum underground storage tanks. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 215, Part 1.

*SB 3855 bv *Kyle

Interstate Compacts - As introduced, removes words "Southern Regional" from emergency management assistance compact that the governor is authorized to execute. - Amends TCA Section 58-2-403.

*SB 3856 by *Kyle

Finance and Administration, Dept. of - As introduced, authorizes the department to establish an internal health council to assist the health information technology coordinator with making the health information technology infrastructure compatible with the health information exchange. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 7; Title 10; Title 68 and Title 71.

*SB 3857 bv *Kvle

Veterans - As introduced, revises certain factors for determining veterans' preference points in civil service system. - Amends TCA Section 8-30-306.

*SB 3858 by *Kyle

Dams - As introduced, requires the department of environment and conservation to conduct, or have conducted, a study of dams in this state that are currently exempt from regulation under the Safe Dams Act because they are diversion weirs, farm ponds or wastewater impoundment barriers. - Amends TCA Title 69, Chapter 11, Part 1.

*SB 3859 by *Kyle

Private Protective Services - As introduced, requires automatic revocation of armed or unarmed security guards/officers convicted of certain offenses, if licensee does not request hearing; allows other disciplinary action after hearing. - Amends TCA Section 62-35-130.

*SB 3860 by *Kyle

Licenses - As introduced, changes certain licensure requirements for motor vehicle sales, home inspectors, real estate brokers, and Class 4 and 5 liquid petroleum permit holders. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 17, Part 1; Title 62, Chapter 6, Part 3; Title 62, Chapter 13, Part 3; Title 62, Chapter 43, Part 1 and Title 68, Chapter 135, Part 1.

*SB 3861 by *Kyle

Cemeteries - As introduced, revises certain requirements for appointing a receiver to manage a cemetery. - Amends TCA Section 46-1-312.

*SB 3862 by *Kyle

Consumer Protection - As introduced, makes violations of the federal Fair Debt Collection Practices Act a violation of the Consumer Protection Act of 1977. - Amends TCA Title 47, Chapter 18, Part 1.

*SB 3863 by *Kyle

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, removes language requiring that the interstate insurance product regulation commission must terminate on June 30, 2009. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 58, Part 1.

*SB 3864 by *Kyle

Securities - As introduced, revises definitions in the Tennessee Securities Act to clarify that an investment advisor does not include an investment adviser representative and to define "investment-related." - Amends TCA Title 48, Chapter 2, Part 1.

*SB 3865 by *Kyle

Children's Services, Dept. of - As introduced, increases membership of children's services advisory council from 15 to 17; expands members' term length from three to four years; requires council to make an annual report. - Amends TCA Title 37, Chapter 5.

*SB 3866 bv *Kyle

Medical Occupations - As introduced, clarifies that a person who is subject to regulation under the Emergency Medical Services Act may be subject to discipline for violating, or attempting to violate, a criminal statute in "any" state, not just this state, if the statute involves moral turpitude or reflects upon the person's ability to fulfill such person's responsibilities. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 140, Part 5.

*SB 3867 by *Kyle

Day Care - As introduced, revises provisions governing guidelines and benchmarks for and visits to child care agencies that receive subsidy funds. - Amends TCA Section 71-3-502.

*SB 3868 by *Kyle

Sentencing - As introduced, grants an inmate classified as minimum direct an additional eight days of sentence reduction credits per month and grants an inmate classified as minimum trustee an additional 14 credits for sentence reduction per month. - Amends TCA Title 41, Chapter 21.

*SB 3869 by *Kyle

Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities, Dept. of - As introduced, designates the department as the state Opioid Treatment Authority; states that it is state policy that the department may license and regulate opioid treatment facilities; and requires all opioid treatment facilities licensed by the department to regularly report to the department to ensure the best possible care and treatment for Tennessee citizens. - Amends TCA Title 33.

*SB 3870 by *Kyle

Human Services, Dept. of - As introduced, authorizes the commissioner to adjust any eligibility criteria, by emergency rule, for any block grant or other federal or department program to permit immediate response to federal funding changes in such programs in order to maximize the availability of service to eligible persons. - Amends TCA Section 71-1-105.

*SB 3871 by *Kyle

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, revises provisions governing the maximum weight per axle or group of axles allowed on public highways. - Amends TCA Section 55-7-203.

*SB 3872 by *Kyle

Parks, Natural Areas Preservation - As introduced, revises the acreage and description of certain state natural areas; adds Hill Forest in Nashville. - Amends TCA Title 11, Chapter 14, Part 1.

*SB 3873 by *Kyle

Correctional Programs - As introduced, includes operation of transitional facilities within meaning of "correctional services" for purposes of the Private Prison Contracting Act of 1986; defines "transitional facilities" as certain institutions where offenders who are close to release from prison are provided transitional services. - Amends TCA Section 41-24-102.

*SB 3874 by *Kyle

Unemployment Compensation - As introduced, removes provisions regarding board and review and revises procedures governing review of claims. - Amends TCA Section 50-7-304; Section 50-7-601; Section 50-7-701; Section 50-7-702; Section 50-7-703 and Section 50-7-708.

*SB 3875 by *Kyle

Education - As introduced, changes the date by which the director of schools and the chair of the board of each LEA must certify to the commissioner that all children enrolled in that LEA have been furnished all required textbooks; and requires the "parent" instead of the "mother" of a child enrolled within a model teen learning center to participate in the center's program of child care and instruction. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 3 and Title 49, Chapter 5.

*SB 3876 by *Kyle

Education, Higher - As introduced, changes time a state entity must notify the board of trustees of the baccalaureate education system trust fund program of the beneficiary of a scholarship program authorized by the entity from funds of the educational savings plan from "30 days" to "60 days" prior to start of term in which benefits are applied; and revises provisions regarding certain staff of THEC. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9.

*SB 3877 bv *Kyle

Livestock - As introduced, deletes Tennessee Public Livestock Market Charter Act; revises other various provisions regarding livestock. - Amends TCA Title 44.

*SB 3878 bv *Kyle

Education - As introduced, establishes a Tennessee STEM advisory council, attached to the department of education, to coordinate and schedule STEM initiatives. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1.

*SB 3879 by *Kyle

Education, Higher - As introduced, authorizes Tennessee State University to establish and lead a research consortium of leading research and business entities in Nashville; and requires the university to report progress toward developing the consortium to the standing committees on education by February 1, 2012. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 8, Part 8.

*SB 3880 by *Kyle

State Government - As introduced, assigns the state employee staff responsible for the administration of the group insurance for state officials and employees to the department of finance and administration; renames "Volunteer Rx" as "Cover Rx"; requires that grant payments under the grant assistance program for nursing home care be made "monthly or quarterly" instead of quarterly"; and makes other revisions. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8; Title 9; Title 11; Title 12; Title 13; Title 16; Title 33; Title 36; Title 37; Title 38; Title 39; Title 40; Title 41; Title 42; Title 43; Title 44; Title 45; Title 47; Title 48; Title 49; Title 50; Title 54; Title 55; Title 56; Title 57; Title 58; Title 59; Title 60; Title 61; Title 62; Title 63; Title 65; Title 66; Title 67; Title 68; Title 70 and Title 71.

*SB 3881 by *Tate

Taxes, Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, increases the tax on intoxicating liquors and cigarettes to fund crime prevention grants. - Amends TCA Title 57 and Title 67.

*SB 3882 by *Tate (HB 3729 by *Hardaway)

Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, includes the Pyramid in Memphis in the definition of a qualified public use facility for convention center and tourism financing. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 88 and Title 67, Chapter 5.

*SB 3883 by *Crowe

DUI/DWI Offenses - As introduced, increases penalty for fourth offense DUI from Class E to Class D felony and requires service of entire sentence imposed by the court; increases punishment for fifth or subsequent DUI from a Class E felony to a Class C felony and requires service of entire sentence imposed by the court. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 13 and Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4.

*SB 3884 by *Burchett

Open Meetings - As introduced, requires that any meetings and records of a local chamber of commerce or similar organization receiving state or federal funding be open to the public. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 8 and Title 10.

*SB 3885 by *Watson

Veterans' Affairs, Dept. of - As introduced, authorizes establishment of veterans' services field offices in service areas designated by the commissioner instead of congressional districts. - Amends TCA Title 58, Chapter 3. Part 1.

SB 3886 by *Marrero B (*HB 3721 by *Stewart)

Traffic Safety - As introduced, increases weight requirements for rear-facing child safety seat, mandating their use by children weighing more than 25 pounds, rather than 20 pounds. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 9, Part 6.

SB 3887 by *Woodson (*HB 3722 by *Harwell)

Bond Issues - As introduced, authorizes the state of Tennessee, acting by resolution of its funding board, to issue and sell its interest-bearing bonds and bond anticipation notes for certain purposes of public charter schools. -

*SB 3888 by *Tate (HB 3727 by *Hardaway)

Comptroller, State - As introduced, requires comptroller to study financing programs available to hospitals that have received both essential access payments and disproportionate share payments for infrastructure and capitol improvement needs. - Amends TCA Title 9 and Title 68.

*SB 3889 by *Burchett

Agriculture - As introduced, requires plants and seeds sold in Tennessee to be labeled to indicate open pollination, genetic modification, or hybridization. - Amends TCA Title 43.

*SB 3890 by *Burchett

Agriculture - As introduced, prohibits sale of seeds that have been genetically modified to render plant produced or second generation seeds sterile; enacts the Anti-Terminator Gene Act of 2010. - Amends TCA Title 43.

*SB 3891 by *Southerland

Civil Procedure - As introduced, specifies information that must be provided in newspaper advertisement for judicial deed of trust or mortgage foreclosure sales; directs secretary of state to establish a web site for filing and posting notices of foreclosure sales. - Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 3 and Title 35, Chapter 5.

SB 3892 by *Woodson (*HB 3723 by *Harwell)

Schools, Charter - As introduced, directs office of education accountability to conduct study into capital needs of public charter schools and report findings to general assembly by January 15, 2011. - Amends TCA Title 9 and Title 49.

***SB 3893 by ***Tate (HB 3728 by *Hardaway)

Fines and Penalties - As introduced, decreases from 50 percent to 40 percent the amount the district attorney or general sessions court clerk may retain for collecting unpaid fines, costs, and litigation taxes. - Amends TCA Title 8; Title 40 and Title 67.

*SB 3894 by *Haynes

Election Laws - As introduced, requires the secretary of state to provide an annual report to the general assembly on the use of Help America Vote funds. - Amends TCA Title 2.

*SB 3895 by *Haynes

Election Laws - As introduced, requires election officials to examine documents and petitions before accepting them for filing; presumes that documents and petitions accepted for filing have met all requirements for filing. - Amends TCA Title 2.

*SB 3896 by *Stewart

Junk Dealers and Junkyards - As introduced, extends period in which person must hold a precious metal from 30 days to 60 days. - Amends TCA Title 38; Title 45 and Title 62.

SB 3897 by *McNally (*HB 3725 by *Ferguson)

Motor Vehicles - As introduced, increases cost of special annual permit for single motor vehicles that do not exceed certain weight and length limitations transporting seed cotton modules from \$100 to \$200. - Amends TCA Section 55-7-205.

*SB 3898 bv *Johnson

Business and Commerce - As introduced, revises various provisions of the Tennessee Small Business Investment Company Credit Act. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 56.

SB 3899 by *Burchett (*HB 3724 by *Haynes)

County Government - As introduced, adds the secretary of state to the list of agencies and officials that a county historian is authorized to work with in collecting history. - Amends TCA Title 4; Title 5; Title 7; Title 9 and Title 64.

*SB 3900 by *Kyle

Prisons and Reformatory Institutions - As introduced, defines "transitional facilities" as certain institutions where offenders who are close to release from prison are provided transitional services for purposes of the Private Prison Contracting Act of 1986; increases from 90 to 120 days the notice period for cancellation of contract without penalty to state. - Amends TCA Title 41, Chapter 24.

*SB 3901 by *Kyle

Taxes - As introduced, modifies various tax provisions concerning video programming services, telecommunications services, sales of property for use in business of selling, and determination of net earnings for real estate investment trusts. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 55; Title 56; Title 67 and Title 71, Chapter 602 of the Public Acts of 2007; and Chapter 530 of the Public Acts of 2009.

*SB 3902 by *Kyle

Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration - As introduced, extends grace period for military persons stationed outside the U.S. to renew registration from within 14 to 30 days of owner's return; increases from 3/4 ton to one ton the truck rating above which plates must be on front rather than rear of pick-up truck. - Amends TCA Title 55; Title 65; Title 66 and Title 67.

*SB 3903 by *Kyle

Unemployment Compensation - As introduced, revises penalties for violations concerning employers' experience rating for purposes of calculating unemployment compensation premiums. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 7 and Title 62, Chapter 43.

*SB 3904 by *Kyle

Public Records - As introduced, designates as confidential the capital plans, marketing information, proprietary information and trade secrets submitted to the Tennessee venture capital network at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville. - Amends TCA Section 10-7-504.

*SB 3905 bv *Kyle

Prisons and Reformatory Institutions - As introduced, increases from six to nine months after date of employment the time period within which a correctional officer must complete appropriate basic training at the Tennessee corrections institute; removes requirement that dentist appointed to perform dental work for corrections and mental health institutions must be licensed in Tennessee. - Amends TCA Title 4 and Title 41.

*SB 3906 by *Kyle

Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, enacts the "Property and Casualty Actuarial Opinion Law." - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 1, Part 4 and Title 56, Chapter 1, Part 5.

*SB 3907 bv *Kvle

Traffic Safety - As introduced, clarifies and adds to types of information that must be included in traffic citations and abstracts of court records pertaining to traffic violations; requires persons holding commercial driver licenses to have a medical card or provide evidence of exemption beginning January 1, 2011, makes other changes concerning motor vehicles. - Amends TCA Title 55.

*SB 3908 by *Kyle

State Government - As introduced, attaches the governor's books from birth program for administrative purposes to the department of finance and administration instead of the department of education. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 52.

*SB 3909 by *Kyle

Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, authorizes internal affairs director and agents of department to seize conveyances subject to forfeiture and have disposition of same inure to benefit of the department. - Amends TCA Section 39-17-420; Title 40, Chapter 33, Part 1; Title 53, Chapter 11 and Title 55, Chapter 5, Part 1.

*SB 3910 by *Kyle

Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities, Dept. of - As introduced, revises certain fiscal impact assessment duties of the department and division of intellectual disabilities; revises provisions governing task force to conduct study of needs of persons with a developmental disability; revises other mental health and developmental disability provisions. - Amends TCA Title 3; Title 4; Title 8; Title 12; Title 33; Title 37; Title 68 and Title 71.

*SB 3911 by *Kyle

Taxes, Gift - As introduced, establishes general requirement that gift tax be paid on or before April 15 of each year; requires that taxpayer be provided six-month extension to file gift tax return upon written request. - Amends TCA Title 7; Title 55; Title 56; Title 67 and Title 71.

*SB 3912 by *Kyle

Driver Licenses - As introduced, extends ordinary duration of driver licenses from five to eight years; increases fees for driver licenses and photo identification cards. - Amends TCA Title 55.

SB 3913 by *Norris (*HB 3395 by *Rich)

Short Term Loans and Lenders - As introduced, extends hours when pawnshops can be open from "8:00 am to 6:00 pm" to "8:00 am to 9:00 pm." - Amends TCA Section 45-6-212.

*SB 3914 by *Johnson

Taxes - As introduced, increases the late application fee, accompanying a late application responding to a notice of disqualification, from \$50.00 to \$75.00. - Amends TCA Title 67.

*SB 3915 by *Marrero B

Pensions and Retirement Benefits - As introduced, authorizes a state employee, teacher, or state university and college system or University of Tennessee employee member to, upon retirement and in lieu of using sick leave as a creditable service under present law, use accumulated sick leave in the same manner as annual or compensatory leave in order to reach the employee's retirement date or have such sick leave be paid to the employee as a lump sum payment. - Amends TCA Title 8.

THIRD CONSIDERATION

Consent Calendar:

HJR's 750, 760, 761, 762, 764 – CONCURRED 30-0. SJR's 728, 729, 730, 731, 732 – ADOPTED 30-0.

Consent Calendar #2:

SB's 2418, 2420, 2422, 2423, 2435 – PASSED 31-0. SB's 2437, 2438, 2439, 2460, 2470 – PASSED 31-0. HJR's 79, 80 – CONCURRED 31-0.

Regular Calendar:

SB 1529 - s/c HB 1257 - PASSED 30-0.

SB 2101 - s/c HB 2069 - Amd. #1 ad. - PASSED AS AMENDED 30-0.

SB 2419 - Amd. #1 ad. - PASSED AS AMENDED 31-0.

SB 2466 – RE-REF to Calendar.

SJR 708 - RE-SET to 2/4/10.

SENATE CONVENES AT 8:30 A.M., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2010

HOUSE

BILLS / RESOLUTIONS

HB's 3282 – 3719 were introduced and passed on first consideration.

HB 3718 by *Armstrong (*SB 3675 by *Burchett)

Gas, Petroleum Products, Volatile Oils - As introduced, requires that, for the purpose of ad valorem property taxation, the value of certain facilities that extract, purify, dehydrate, or otherwise treat landfill methane be assessed at the same percentage as a qualified pollution control facility. - Amends TCA Title 65, Chapter 28, Part 2 and Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 6.

HB 3719 by *Bass (*SB 3478 by *Jackson)

TennCare - As introduced, makes private duty nursing services for certain quadriplegics a covered medical service under TennCare. - Amends TCA Title 71.

HB 3720 by *Maddox (*SB 3661 by *Finney L)

Juveniles - As introduced, creates a task force to study the statewide replication of Carroll Academy. - Amends TCA Title 37 and Title 49.

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(House Bills cont.)

HB 3730 by *Tidwell (*SB 3083 by *Jackson)

Architects, Engineers and Designers - As introduced, clarifies statutory requirements for licensure to ensure that a duly licensed architect or engineer who is performing normal architectural and engineering services within the architect or engineer's area of competence is not required to obtain additional licensure, certification, or registration to perform such services. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 13 and Title 62.

HB 3731 by *Tidwell, Shepard (*SB 3082 by *Jackson)

Local Government, General - As introduced, exempts energy acquisition corporations from taxation of associated municipalities. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 39.

HB 3732 bv *Borchert (*SB 3626 bv *Barnes)

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, defines a restaurant located in a jurisdiction that has elected Tennessee River resort district status as having inside capacity of at least 40 and outside seating capacity of at least 75. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-102.

HB 3733 by *Gilmore (*SB 3713 by *Haynes)

Education - As introduced, extends pilot program for class size limits in career and technical education course in Davidson County for one year, through July 1, 2010; extends committee to study pilot program to January 1, 2011. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1, Part 1.

*HB 3734 by *Fraley

Alcoholic Beverages - As introduced, allows metropolitan counties with a population of less than 100,000 that have approved the manufacture of intoxicating liquors to assess a fee up to \$10.00 per 50 gallon barrel on the manufacturer. - Amends TCA Title 57, Chapter 2, Part 1.

HB 3735 by *Fraley (*SB 3668 by *Stewart)

Highway Signs - As introduced, expresses intent to name appropriate bridge on S.R. 840 in honor of the late PFC Nathan B. Clemons. USMC. -

HB 3736 by *Fraley (*SB 3667 by *Stewart)

Highway Signs - As introduced, expresses intent to name appropriate bridge on S.R. 840 in honor of the late Lance Corporal Gregory Posey, USMC. -

HB 3737 by *Coley (*SB 2482 by *Gresham)

Education - As introduced, requires department of education, office of early learning to disseminate its annual report on the voluntary pre-K program to the public via its web site. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 3 and Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 1.

HB 3738 by *Niceley (*SB 3890 by *Burchett)

Agriculture - As introduced, prohibits sale of seeds that have been genetically modified to render plant produced or second generation seeds sterile; enacts the Anti-Terminator Gene Act of 2010. - Amends TCA Title 43.

HB 3739 by *Matheny (*SB 3665 by *Stewart)

Highway Signs - As introduced, expresses intent to name appropriate bridge on S.R. 840 in honor of the late Sgt. David Alexander Stephens, U.S. Army. -

HB 3740 by *Matheny (*SB 3673 by *Stewart)

Highway Signs - As introduced, expresses intent to name appropriate bridge on S.R. 840 in honor of the late PFC Brian J. Schoff, U.S. Army. -

HB 3741 by *Matheny (*SB 3896 by *Stewart)

Junk Dealers and Junkyards - As introduced, extends period in which person must hold a precious metal from 30 days to 60 days. - Amends TCA Title 38; Title 45 and Title 62.

HB 3742 by *Swafford (*SB 3704 by *Beavers)

DUI/DWI Offenses - As introduced, requires that in lieu of or in addition to participation in DUI school or an alcohol assessment, the court must order, as a condition of a DUI offender's probation, that the offender attend a victims impact panel if the program is offered in the victim's county. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10.

HB 3743 by *Mumpower (*SB 3654 by *Ketron)

Boards and Commissions - As introduced, adds the Tennessee licensed professional counselors association to the other groups who nominate candidates to the governor for appointment to the board for professional counselors, marital and family therapists, and clinical pastoral therapists. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 22, Part 1.

(House Bills cont.)

HB 3744 by *Mumpower (*SB 3488 by *Ramsey)

Taxes, Income - As introduced, increases the Hall income tax exemption for taxpayers 65 years of age or older \$10,000 annually beginning January 1, 2012. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 2.

HB 3745 by *Mumpower (*SB 3485 by *Ramsey)

Schools, Home - As introduced, authorizes home schooled students to participate in extracurricular athletic activities of public school in which they are eligible to attend. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 30.

SECOND CONSIDERATION

HB's 3027 – 3281 were passed on second consideration.

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EDUCATION - HB 2474.

1/27/10

CAPTION, HELD ON DESK - HB 2514.

EDUCATION - HB 2513

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS - HB 2542.

JUDICIARY - HB 2803.

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HELD ON DESK - HB 2965.

CAPTION, HELD ON DESK - HB's 2874, 2875, 2876, 2893, 2898, 2919, 2921, 2927, 2929, 2934, 2935, 2938, 2939, 2944, 2945, 2946, 2953, 2963, 2978, 2979, 2994, 2999, 3000, 3010, 3016.

AGRICULTURE – HB 3008

CHILDREN & FAMILY AFFAIRS - HB's 2916, 2992.

COMMERCE - HB's 2836, 2838, 2850, 2882, 2904, 2942, 2970, 2984, 2986, 3005, 3009.

CONSERVATION & ENVIRONMENT - HB's 2837, 2839, 2991.

CONSUMER & EMPLOYEE AFFAIRS - HB's 2844, 2845, 2869, 2905, 2928, 3015.

EDUCATION - HB's 2886, 2897, 2936, 2937, 2954, 2955, 2957, 2958, 2967, 3011.

FINANCE, WAYS & MEANS - HB's 2863, 2884, 2901, 2922, 2923, 2980, 3013.

GOVERNMENT OPERATION - HB's 2831, 2840, 2854, 2855, 2856, 2857, 2858, 2859, 2860, 2861, 2862, 2889, 2895, 2917, 2925, 2996, 3003.

HEALTH & HUMAN RESOURCES - HB's 2873, 2902, 2903, 2987.

JUDICIARY - HB's 2832, 2835, 2849, 2867, 2872, 2881, 2887, 2888, 2890, 2891, 2918, 2941, 2951, 2952, 2959, 2962, 2968, 2972, 2983, 2993, 2997, 3001.

STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT - HB's 2834, 2866, 2868, 2870, 2892, 2908, 2913, 2914, 2915, 2926, 2933, 2948, 2960, 2974, 2976, 3006, 3007, 3012, 3019.

TRANSPORTATION - HB's 2830, 2852, 2853, 2883, 2896, 2912, 2920, 2924, 2931, 2940, 2943, 2988, 2990, 3023, 3024.

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CAPTION, HELD ON DESK - HB's 3030, 3084, 3087, 3092, 3098, 3104, 3117, 3134, 3140, 3149, 3151, 3187, 3205, 3212, 3231, 3232, 3234, 3235, 3244, 3245, 3246, 3256.

AGRICULTURE - HB 3136.

CHILDREN & FAMILY AFFAIRS - HB's 3116, 3194.

COMMERCE - HB's 3059, 3093, 3111, 3112, 3113, 3126, 3158, 3186, 3201, 3215, 3229, 3265.

CONSERVATION & ENVIRONMENT - HB's 3106, 3195, 3214.

CONSUMER & EMPLOYEE AFFAIRS - HB's 3043, 3095, 3108, 3127, 3143, 3162, 3163, 3206.

EDUCATION - HB's 3028, 3029, 3068, 3102, 3105, 3107, 3109, 3118, 3132, 3133, 3148, 3168, 3188, 3200, 3233, 3241, 3242, 3250.

FINANCE, WAYS & MEANS - HB's 3033, 3170, 3184, 3223, 3236.

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GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS - HB's 3055, 3079, 3096, 3099, 3114, 3121, 3130, 3146, 3164, 3167, 3169, 3177, 3180, 3183, 3191, 3210, 3217, 3218, 3247, 3257, 3258, 3261, 3264.

HEALTH & HUMAN RESOURCES - HB's 3045, 3082, 3139, 3144, 3156, 3173, 3174, 3202, 3251.

JUDICIARY - HB's 3027, 3031, 3035, 3036, 3038, 3040, 3047, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3057, 3058, 3063, 3064, 3078, 3103, 3122, 3123, 3124, 3125, 3129, 3138, 3141, 3142, 3181, 3196, 3203, 3213, 3221, 3224, 3226, 3239, 3240, 3269, 3270, 3271, 3272, 3273, 3276, 3277, 3278, 3279, 3280, 3281.

STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT - HB's 3032, 3034, 3037, 3039, 3042, 3044, 3056, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3069, 3070, 3071, 3072, 3075, 3145, 3147, 3153, 3155, 3160, 3165, 3166, 3175, 3182, 3185, 3189, 3190, 3192, 3197, 3207, 3208, 3211, 3227, 3237, 3243, 3248, 3252, 3253, 3268, 3275.

TRANSPORTATION - HB's 3076, 3080, 3101, 3119, 3131, 3137, 3150, 3220, 3225, 3249, 3255, 3260, 3262, 3267.

THIRD CONSIDERATION

Consent Calendar:

HB's 2415, 2487, 2564, 2741, 2757, 2793 – RE-SET to 2/3/10.

HR 233 - ADOPTED 94-1.

HJR's 774, 775, 778, 779, 780, 783, 784 - ADOPTED 94-1.

SJR's 681, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 689, 691, 692 – CONCURRED 94-1.

SJR's 693, 694, 696, 697, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704 – CONCURRED 94-1.

SJR's 706, 707, 709, 710, 712, 713, 717, 718, 719 - CONCURRED 94-1.

SJR's 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 743 – CONCURRED 94-1.

Regular Calendar:

HJR 773 - RE-SET to 2/3/10.

OTHER ACTION

HB's 1267, 2517, 2518, 2964, 3378, 3548 – WITHDRAWN. SJR 751 – s/r CONCURRED 95-0-1.

HOUSE CONVENES AT 2:00 P.M., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2010